

NEBRASKA National Bank

OMAHA, NEBRASKA.

PAID UP CAPITAL \$250,000
SURPLUS MAY 1, 1885 35,00

OFFICERS:
H. W. YATES, President; A. E. TOULALIN, Vice President; W. V. MORSE, JNO. S. COLLINS, LEWIS S. REED, W. H. S. HUGHES, Cashier.

BANKING OFFICE:

The Iron Bank,
COR. 12th AND FARNAM STS.

A General Banking Business Transacted.

FEELS ITS OATS.

The Chicago Board Runs Up Against a Corner.

Kammer Reported to Have Purchased All the Cereal.

Wheat Drags Heavily With the Weather and Alarms Many Corn Displays Some Life.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CORN IN OATS.

Special Telegram to The Bee.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 23.—The feature of the half-day's trading on change-to-day was the development of a little squeeze in July oats. It is incident in its present stage, though there is no telling what proportions it may assume before its culmination on the last day of the month. The report is current that the market has been quiet since the opening of the month. All the oats are held by Kammer. Be this as it may, the latter gentleman was quite indus-trious in bidding the market up to-day, but as usual when a corner is talked of, only a few shorts came in. For the reason given a few shorts came in over yesterday, closing 2c higher at 32c.

Wheat showed few features to-day with fluctuations confined to 1c. The adjournment of the board at 12 o'clock restricted trading somewhat, while the crowd generally felt a little apprehension concerning the present market. No one would rung the gong to wheat in store. There was a remarkable scarcity of rumors about calculated to disturb the market. The close at 12 o'clock was quiet as substantially yesterday's closing figures. No 2 spring sold at 73c.

Corn—Quiet with the exception of the season ranged along with considerable steadiness under the absence of anything especial to disturb value. In a general way the tone of the market was stronger than in wheat, with higher prices ruling. More or less strength came in with the rapid advance in July oats, there being a considerable sympathy between this cereal and corn. Trade, however, was rather slack. The close was steady at 30c over yesterday. No. 2 cash sold at 46c.

Provisions were very slow and featureless, only a few being in pocketed about the time in hand. Few orders were taken on the floor, and little stuff was wanted. The close was quiet and about steady.

Choice to extra fat natives were cattle scarce and a shade firmer. Fair to good natives were firm. Choice to extra fat natives Texans were not plentiful, but rather stronger. There was little or nothing doing in stockers and feeders and choice remain as low as at any time within a month past. First-class native beefes, of 400 to 1,600 pounds, are still strong, at 85c@90c per hundred weight, and steers, 85c@90c per hundred weight, 1,350 pounds, \$1.35@1.40; prime, 85c@90c per hundred weight, 1,350 pounds, \$1.35@1.40. Averages of 1,000 to 1,200 pounds sell at 85c@90c per hundred weight, and grass Texas, no matter the average, \$4.50 to \$4.90. Low grades and mixed cows and steer steaks are making \$2.25 to 25c. Good casting steers, 800 to 1,300 to 1,500 pounds, as well as will suit the dressed beef and retail shop trade, \$3.75@4.10. Shipping steers, 1,300 to 1,500 pounds, \$5.50@6.00; 1,200 to 1,350 pounds, \$5.20@5.75; 950 to 1,200 pounds, \$4.50@5.25; corn fed Texas cattle, 1,500 to 1,700 pounds, \$4.25@4.50; grass, 750 to 900 pounds, \$3.25@3.60; grass, 750 to 800 pounds, \$3.00@3.40; grass, 700 to 750 pounds, \$2.80@3.25.

Hogs were about the best market since December last. In fact there was too large a number of heavy for the trade, and in consequence many were held back, but the market was lower, especially in the morning. The light receipts were scarce, and those graded sold equally as high as yesterday. Feather weights were booming, selling up to \$5.00, the highest price since January. Light hams, \$1.50@1.55; ham, \$1.40@1.45; best hams, \$1.45@1.50; ham, prime, and skinning, 25c to 30c; pounds, \$4.45@4.50; light weights, 130 to 170 pounds, \$4.75@5.00; 180 to 210 pounds, \$4.30@4.65.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

FINANCIAL.

STOCKS ON WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Money—Easy at 1 per cent. Prime paper—4@5 per cent. Exchange bills—\$1.55@1; demand, \$1.80@1. Government—Dull but strong. Stocks were more active to-day than for many months past. This was followed, however, by a reaction which, with little interruption, continued until near the close. The highest prices of the day as a rule made their appearance in the morning, the lowest morning prices ranging from 14@15 to 21@22. In the last thirty minutes there was a rapid break which carried prices down to 15@16, the market closing active and weak at the decline.

Drugs—103c. 44@45c. U. S. 4's, 125c. Pacific 6's of '93, 127c. Central Pacific, 134c. Chicago & Alton do preferred, 156c. do preferred. Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, 128c. Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 101c. Denver & Rio Grande, 82c. El Paso, 101c. do preferred. Illinois Central, 141c. Indiana, Bloomington & Western, 26c. Kansas & Texas, 130c. Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, 114c. Louisville & Nashville, 108c. Michigan Central, 104c. Missouri Pacific, 94c. Northern Pacific, do preferred. Northwestern, 132c. do preferred. New York Central, 107c. Oregon Transcontinental, 121c. Pacific Mail, 149c. Peoria, Decatur & Evansville, 16c. Pullman Palace Car Company, 149c. Rock Island, 135c. St. Louis & San Francisco, 118c. do do preferred. Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, 19c. do do do preferred, 13c. St. Paul & Omaha, 82c. do do preferred, 112c. Trans Pacific, 88c. Union Pacific, 88c. Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific, 14c. do do do preferred, 51c. Western Union Telegraph, 51c. Oregon Railroad & Navigation, 74c.

*Ex-dividends.

PRODUCE.

CHICAGO.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Flour—Quiet and unchanged.

Winter Wheat—Firm; best quality patent \$3.00@3.30.

strengthened early, opened 1@2c higher, later weakened and declined, reached 1c fluctuating slightly, closed 1c over yesterday. Corn—Moderately active; closed 1@2c higher than yesterday; 40c, cash, 45@46c. July; 45@45c; August; 45@45c. September.

On—July excited, ranging 2c and closing 1c over yesterday; deferred futures, firmer and 1@2c better; cash, 1@2c higher; 32c, cash; 32c. July; 26c. August; 25c. September.

Rye and barley—Unchanged.

Flaxseed—Quiet, firming \$1.50@1.54.

Flaxseed—Quiet and unchanged.

Pork—Quiet and steady at 24@25c, lower.

Tallow—14@15c, cash; 15@16c, August; 15@15c, September.

Grease—Prime, white, 32@34c.

Sheep Peats—25c@27c.

Second quality—82.70@83.60. Strengthened Wheat—Best quality patent at 80.80c. July; 80.80c. August; 80.80c. September; 80.80c. No. 2 red, 93@94c.

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HIDES.

Steady; green butchers' 5c; green cured, 7c; dry flint, 12@14c, dry salt, 10@11c; damaged hide two-thirds price.

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GROCERS' LIST.

DRY FRUIT—No. 1, quarter apples, bbls 5c; N. O. sliced, boxes, 6c; evaporated, boxes, 8c; blackberries, boxes, 11c; peaches, 14c; corn, 9c; peaches, evaporated, none in the market; raspberries, 25c.

CORNS—Fairly active and steady; choice full cream chardrons, 7c@7.5c; flats, 7.5c@8c; young American, 9c@9.5c; skinned, 10@10.5c.

Eggs—Quiet at 14@15c.

Cheese—Fairly active and steady; choice full cream chardrons, 7c@7.5c; flats, 7.5c@8c; young American, 9c@9.5c; skinned, 10@10.5c.

Lettuce—Flour, 10,000 bushels; wheat, 41,000 bush, corn, 216,000 bush; oats, 68,000 bush; rye, 2,000 bush; barley, 3,000 bush.

MILKWEAVER.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 23.—Wheat—First-class, No. 1, \$1.00; Milwaukee, 87c; August, 88c; September, 90c.

Corn—First, No. 2, 4c@4.5c.

Rye—Nominal.

Provisions—Steady; meat pork, cash and July, 10@10.50; August, 10.50@11.

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